# Daily Digest

# Senate

### Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Eight bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 430-437, and S. Res. 62–66. Pages S1165-66

#### Measures Reported:

S. Res. 62, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship.

S. Res. 64, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

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#### Measures Considered:

Natural Resources Management Act—Agreement: Senate resumed consideration of S. 47, to provide for the management of the natural resources of the United States, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: Pages S1152, S1155-64 Rejected:

Lee Amendment No. 187 (to Amendment No. 112), to limit the extension or establishment of national monuments in the State of Utah. (By 60 yeas to 33 nays (Vote No. 20), Senate tabled the amendment.)

Pending:

Murkowski/Manchin Modified Amendment No. 111, in the nature of a substitute. Page S1152

Murkowski Amendment No. 112 (to Amendment No. 111), to modify the authorization period for the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Historic Preservation program.

Rubio/Scott (FL) Amendment No. 182 (to Amendment No. 112), to give effect to more accurate maps of units of the John H. Chafee Costal Barrier Resources System that were produced by digital Page S1161

During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

By 87 yeas to 7 nays (Vote No. 21), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, having voted in the affirmative, Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on the bill.

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that notwithstanding the provisions of Rule XXII, at 4:30 p.m., on Tuesday, February 12, 2019, all post-cloture time be considered expired on the bill; that following disposition of any pending amendments, the substitute amendment as amended, if amended, be agreed to, and Senate vote on passage of the bill, as amended. Pages S1161-62

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill, post-cloture, at approximately 10 a.m., on Tuesday, February 12, 2019; and that all time during recess, adjournment, morning business, and Leader remarks count post-cloture on the bill.

Department Of Homeland Security Further Continuing Appropriations—Cloture: Senate began consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of H. J. Res. 1, making further continuing appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for fiscal year 2019. Pages S1152-55

A motion was entered to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the joint resolution, and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on cloture will occur upon disposition of the nomination of William Pelham Barr, of Virginia, to be Attorney General, Department of Justice.

Page S1155 Subsequently, the motion to proceed was with-Page S1155

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Amendments Submitted: Pages S1169-74 Notices of Intent:

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—21) Pages S1160-61

Adjournment: Senate convened at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 7:24 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday,

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February 12, 2019. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S1174.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

# House of Representatives

### Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 13 public bills, H.R. 1137–1149; 1 private bill, H.R. 1150; and 6 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 17 and H. Res. 119–121 and 123–124, were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Report Filed: A report was filed today as follows: H. Res. 122, providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 37) directing the removal of United States Armed Forces from hostilities in the Republic of Yemen that have not been authorized by Congress; waiving a requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII with respect to consideration of certain resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules; and providing for consideration of motions to suspend the rules (H. Rept. 116–8).

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Butterfield to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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**Recess:** The House recessed at 12:04 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. Pages H1495–96

Whole Number of the House: The Chair announced to the House that, in light of the passing of the gentleman from North Carolina, Mr. Jones, the whole number of the House is 432. Page H1496

Recess: The House recessed at 2:02 p.m. and reconvened at 4 p.m. Page H1496

**Suspensions:** The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Presidential Library Donation Reform Act of 2019: H.R. 1063, amended, to amend title 44, United States Code, to require information on contributors to Presidential library fundraising organizations;

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Social Media Use in Clearance Investigations Act of 2019: H.R. 1065, to provide for a study on the use of social media in security clearance investigations, by a <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> yea-and-nay vote of 377 yeas to 3 nays, Roll No. 76; Pages H1498–99, H1504–05

Amending title 5, United States Code, to allow whistleblowers to disclose information to certain recipients: H.R. 1064, amended, to amend title 5, United States Code, to allow whistleblowers to disclose information to certain recipients; and

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Creating Advanced Streamlined Electronic Services for Constituents Act of 2019: H.R. 1079, amended, to require the Director of the Office of Management and Budget to issue guidance on electronic consent forms, by a <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> yea-and-nay vote of 379 yeas with none voting "nay", Roll No. 77.

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**Recess:** The House recessed at 4:45 p.m. and reconvened at 6:29 p.m. Page H1504

Expressing the profound sorrow of the House of Representatives on the death of the Honorable Walter B. Jones: The House agreed to H. Res. 121, expressing the profound sorrow of the House of Representatives on the death of the Honorable Walter B. Jones.

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Honoring the life, achievements, and distinguished public service of John David Dingell, Jr., and expressing condolences to his family on his passing: The House agreed to discharge from committee and agree to H. Res. 120, honoring the life, achievements, and distinguished public service of John David Dingell, Jr., and expressing condolences to his family on his passing.

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Meeting Hour: Agreed by unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 9 a.m. tomorrow, February 12th.

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Suspension—Proceedings Postponed: The House debated the following measure under suspension of the rules. Further proceedings were postponed.

Settlement Agreement Information Database Act of 2019: H.R. 995, amended, to amend chapter 3 of title 5, United States Code, to require the publication of settlement agreements.

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